GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
WATER RESOURCES
LOK SABHA

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SEMINAR IN ASSAM ON FLOOD CONTROL
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Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) whether a Seminar on flood problem in Assam was recently held in Guwahati;

(b) if so, the details of deliberations held in this regard;

(c) whether any memorandum or representation making such demands has been received by the Union Government from the State Government; and

(d) if so, the response of the Government thereto?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF WATER RESOURCES(SHRI JAI PRAKASH NARAYAN YADAV)

(a) to (d) As per information available, no Seminar on flood problem in Assam was held in Guwahati in the recent past. However, a final meeting of the Task Force for Flood Management/Erosion Control set up by Government of India under the Chairmanship of Chairman, Central Water Commission was held at Guwahati during December 28-29, 2004. The Task Force has since submitted its report on 31.12.2004 to Ministry of Water Resources. The report of Task Force has been circulated to various Ministries/Planning Commission and the concerned State Governments. The report of Task Force is under consideration in the Ministry.